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LB 465A, 1255

SPEAKER WITHEM: The bill is advanced. As I indicated before, we will be taking, reversing the order of the last two bills. We will go to 1255 follow that with 687. Mr. Clerk, LB 1255.

ASSISTANT CLERK: LB 1255 was introduced by the General Affairs Committee. (Read title.) The bill was read for the first time on January 17 and referred to the General Affairs Committee, that committee reports the bill to General File with committee amendments attached.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Schellpeper, on the committee amendments.

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: Yes, Mr. Speaker and members, if we might, we should probably go to the amendment that I have filed because that strikes the committee amendment, so there is no sense in explaining the committee amendments, we just as well talk about the amendment right away, if we can, please. Do you have committee amendments?

SPEAKER WITHEM: Okay, we will go to the...we will consider that the opening on the committee amendments. Mr. Clerk, are there any amendments?

ASSISTANT CLERK: Senator Schellpeper, I have two amendments to the committee amendments. The first one is 3805?

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: No, you can withdraw that.

SPEAKER WITHEM: It is withdrawn.

ASSISTANT CLERK: In that case I have AM4164. (See page 1606 of the Legislative Journal.)

SENATOR SCHELLPEPER: Yes. Thank you, Mr. Clerk. As you all will recall, we have had a lot of problem this year with the racetracks in Nebraska and we have one racetrack in Omaha that currently is not running. So we are attempting to move, do some things with this bill that would allow some of the funds that are being collected with simulcast in Ak-Sar-Ben to be used for purses at the other track to go to breeders, to the horsemen. We have an agreement reached with this amendment, amendment 4146 and it is intended to take care of this simulcast revenue and it has been agreed upon by, like I said, by the breeders, the horse